## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 541

## By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Mary Caroline Sellers, 2007 Salutatorian of Lexington High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Mary Caroline Sellers is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2007 graduating class at Lexington High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Sellers has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Mary has earned an exemplary 98.45 grade average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Beta Club, Renaissance Team, DARE Club, and her church's youth group; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her status as a stellar scholar, this exceptional young woman is also an avid sports enthusiast and student athlete who has been actively involved in her school's varsity tennis team; and

WHEREAS, Mary Sellers's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at Union University where she plans to major in Pre-Law; and

WHEREAS, Mary's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Mike and Teresa Sellers, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Sellers's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend Mary Caroline Sellers, 2007 Lexington High School Salutatorian, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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